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Commodity Code	Item	Unit	Year		1967			1968		
			1965-66	1966-67	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
020-189	<u>Food, Feed, Beverages and Tobacco</u>									
021.01	Meat - Beef and Veal	'000 tons	235	225	18.2	18.9	17.7	22.1	r23.1	12.2
021.11	Lamb	" "	77	95	7.7	8.7	6.8	7.6	7.7	6.5
	Mutton	" "	150	149	11.9	12.8	10.9	16.8	r15.5	8.4
021.21	Pigmeat	" "	34	33	2.6	2.9	2.5	2.7	r 2.7	3.4
023.09	Bacon and Ham (a)	" "	9.4	9.8	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7
023.17; 027.02-29, 72-76	Canned Meat (b)	mill lb	72.7	66.9	4.3	3.9	3.8	4.8	5.4	5.5
051.21-27	Condensed Full Cream Milk	" "	124.5	114.2	11.1	8.6	6.0	9.4	8.3	4.0
051.31	Butter	" "	260.0	268.9	19.6	14.5	9.6	16.2	10.1	
051.36-46	Cheese	" "	62.8	67.8	5.4	5.0	3.6	6.5	5.2	

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			1965-66	1966-67	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
	Frozen Confections -									
051.61	Ice Cream	'000 gals	9,061	10,152	1,050	987	633	1,540	1,146	796
051.63,64,67	Other - Milk Based	" "	1,912	3,622	433	374	207	324	260	189
	Powdered Milk -									
051.72,73	Full Cream	mill lb	24.5	23.7	1.19	2.00	0.64	1.70	1.05	0.42
051.76-79	Skim	" "	74.4	131.9	11.6	9.1	6.2	8.1	3.1	2.1
062.01,32	Flour (Wheaten) (c)	'000 short tons	425	401	33.1	38.8	38.1	29.8	33.6	34.8
062.59	Oatmeal and Rolled Oats for Porridge	'000 cwt	154	193	12.2	25.1	26.4	13.8	19.7	21.9
063.11	Malt - Barley	'000 bush	10,380	10,763	827	923	886	780	824	722
064.21	Biscuits	mill lb	81	84	6.5	7.4	7.2	6.2	7.2	6.7
065.11	Canned Spaghetti	" "	25.3	27.5	n.a.	n.a.	1.29	1.66	n.a.	1.98
076.08,15,22	Canned or Bottled Apricots, Peaches and Pears	" "	285.4	n.a.	78.5	98.2	59.8	95.3	114.0	70.7
076.60	Jam (incl. Conserves, Fruit Spreads)	" "	46.1	39.0	4.80	3.14	2.66	3.83	2.03	2.58
092.02.06.09	Quick Frozen Vegetables	" "	40.9	52.7	6.25	5.57	1.46	2.34	2.16	1.16
	Canned or Bottled Vegetables -									
094.06	Baked Beans (d)	" "	28.8	27.8	n.a.	n.a.	2.37	1.58	n.a.	3.10
094.02-04,08-47	Other (e)	" "	13.1	18.8	1.20	1.21	0.90	0.82	0.55	0.39
	Confectionery -									
104.04	Chocolate	" "	44	44	3.3	3.9	4.2	3.0	3.1	3.6
104.20	Other	" "	44	45	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.8	3.2
122.02	Tomato Soup	'000 pints	22,005	21,849	1,767	12,561	7,181	10,506	5,883	n.a.
123.18	Tomato Sauce	" "	22,784	18,801	5,134	6,612	4,504	6,265	7,351	2,923
127.11,14,17,19	Starch	'000 lb	46,554	39,075	3,088	3,581	3,097	3,261	3,373	3,363
139.72	Water Ices, Fruit Ices, etc.	'000 gals	685	626	109	75	22	154	133	33
152.02	Bran (Wheaten)	'000 short tons	62	58	5.0	5.6	5.0	4.3	4.9	5.0
152.06	Pollard (Wheaten)	" " "	90	78	6.4	7.9	6.3	5.9	7.0	7.4

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			1965-66	1966-67	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
156.06,11,41-46	Meat, Blood and Bone Meal	mill lb	143	149	11.8	12.7	10.2	15.3	16.5	10.6
159.11,15,21	Prepared Stockfood, Cereal Based (f)	short ton	318					11.8	15.0	15.8
	Aerated Waters -									
171.03	Canned	'000 gals	} 28,419	2,760	416	391	140	680	743	393
171.05	Bottled	" "		27,784	3,293	3,052	1,992	4,093	3,311	2,110
183.01,11,21-28	Tobacco, Cigars and Cigarettes*	mill lb	32	34	2.8	3.0	2.8	2.8	3.0	
<u>200-289</u>	<u>Crude Materials, Inedible</u>									
	Hides and Skins Used in Tanning -									
201.11,13,15	Hides (Bovine)	'000	717	651	54.4	49.2	n.a.	52.8	53.2	51.8
201.59,61,63	Sheepskins	'000 doz	52	58	6.7	6.9	5.7	4.5	4.4	4.0
242.07-10	Wool - Scoured or Carbonised	mill lb	59	57	5.21	5.30	5.28	4.74	5.33	5.19
242.33,35	Pure Wool Tops	" "	18.6	15.5	1.23	1.27	1.28	1.14	1.16	1.10
	Coal -									
261.02	Black*	'000 tons	37	34	2.7	1.5	2.5	2.7	2.7	
261.31	Brown*	" "	21,525	22,523	1,627	1,903	1,798	1,595	1,798	
261.41	Briquettes*	" "	1,882	1,820	138	164	161	127	137	
<u>300-499</u>	<u>Fabricated Materials, Inedible</u>									
331.02-18,28-44	Sawn Native Timber*	mill sup ft	316	312	25.7	24.7	26.0	21.3		
	Yarns -									
363.17-31	Worsted (g)	mill lb	9.5	8.6	0.78	0.72	0.81	0.80	0.72	0.64
363.47-75	Woollen (g)	" "	19.1	19.1	1.61	1.58	1.62	1.60	1.70	1.80
368.02-08	Cotton Sewing Thread (For All Purposes)	'000 lb	1,691	2,077	190	164	192	154	174	177
	Finished Woven Fabric, etc. (h) -									
372.02-20	Wool, Worsted	'000 sq yds	4,404	3,542	279	305	303	310	304	278
	Woollen -									
372.22-50	Pure	" " "	8,289	7,850	703	687	666	761	768	710
	Mixtures	" " "	3,111	3,049	264	290	250	271	196	266

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			1965-66	1966-67	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
372.52-66	Blankets (i)	'000	833	788	62.5	71.4	70.8	58.3	67.4	69.1
372.70,72	Rugs (i)	"	57	59	3.5	2.8	3.9	2.1	2.7	3.7
	Finished Woven Fabric, etc. -									
373.02-52	Cotton	mill sq yds	21.4	22.7	1.79	1.93	1.95	1.79	2.07	2.02
374.02-34	Man-made Fibres	" " "	23.8	27.0	2.19	2.22	2.31	2.49	2.72	2.56
401.57	Sulphuric Acid	'000 tons	499	588	46.7	54.0	53.0	n.a.	33.4	37.3
403.12,14	Casein	mill lb	49	40	2.2	1.2	0.8	2.1	1.6	0.8
	Plastics and Synthetic Resins -									
403.02-96	For Moulding, Extrusion, etc.	'000 cwt	738	911	57.0	81.6	83.6	85.6	100.6	108.0
404.02-98	Other	" "	346	393	31.2	33.8	33.8	34.4	34.5	31.8
	Ready Mixed Paints (Not Water) -									
412.02,04	Architectural & Decorative	'000 gals	2,106	2,216	195	186	174	177	201	166
412.08,10	Industrial	" "	2,213	2,356	194	217	200	219	241	219
412.22,24	Lacquers - Nitro Cellulose	" "	468	433	40.5	39.5	32.9	35.6	39.4	34.8
412.42	Water Paint - Emulsion, Plastic Latex	" "	1,200	1,236	100	113	97	107	102	104
412.64	Thinners for Lacquers	" "	1,021	995	81	100	82	84	76	83
415.07	Superphosphate* (j)	'000 tons	1,341	1,561	122	142	147	103	79	
434.09	Gas (Towns)	mill cu ft	22,224	22,726	1,303	1,558	1,718	r1,297	1,510	1,613
448.12	Barbed Wire	ton	4,766	5,057	370	421	362	307	402	390
455.04	Gold Refined* (k)	fine oz	21,610	16,900	1,174	862	1,271	1,436	325	
465.16	Wire Nails, Steel	ton	7,674	8,009	682	701	650	n.a.	664	603
472.01,03	Clay Bricks	mill	383	403	33.3	36.1	32.2	35.5	36.1	33.1
472.12	Terra Cotta Roofing Tiles	"	16.7	14.9	1.4	1.2	1.1	r 1.1	r 1.2	1.2
475.30	Concrete Roofing Tiles	"	27.0	30.6	2.7	2.8	2.5	2.6	2.9	2.9
479.22	Plaster of Paris	'000 tons	119	124	11.1	10.6	10.0	10.9	10.5	10.4
479.32,33	Plaster Sheets	'000 sq yds	11,303	12,800	1,109	1,130	1,040	1,127	1,279	1,119



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			1965-66	1966-67	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
499.44,46 499.42	Electricity (1) - Generated Net Imports (+)	mill kWh " "	9,741 798	10,798 630	768 55	891 17	837 73	698 154	890 46	923 13
500-559	<u>Industrial and Agricultural Machinery and Equipment</u>									
	Electric Motors (m) -									
503.21-26	Under 1 H.P.	No	473,899	534,155	43,082	41,413	44,662	53,580	47,787	45,260
503.27	1 H.P. and under 2-1/2 H.P.	"	19,081	22,787	1,785	1,892	1,919	1,685	2,286	1,811
503.28	2-1/2 H.P. and under 5 H.P.	"	6,407	7,925	764	949	491	632	541	373
503.29-32	5 H.P. and Over	"	11,114	13,820	1,262	1,092	1,150	626	1,040	1,138
570-629	<u>Transportation Equipment</u>									
	Motor Vehicles (n) -									
581.02-08,10-16	Cars	No	105,199	109,054	9,288	11,023	10,034	11,360	11,555	10,027
582.04-28	Other	"	42,433	41,453	5,000	4,107	3,633	3,034	3,191	4,058
584.01,03	Caravans - Complete	"	4,162	4,947	381	406	301	470	396	364
611.01	Pedal Cycles	"	21,782	24,373	1,597	1,702	1,983	2,191	1,994	2,406
640-769	<u>Other Machines, Tools, and Equipment</u>									
643.01-37	Radio Sets and Radiograms	'000	97	117	10.7	10.6	8.8	6.3	11.4	11.4
651.11,13,15,17	Electric Radiators and Fires (o)	"	684	569	48.6	56.8	56.2	37.7	56.3	58.4
	Other Domestic Space Heaters -									
651.01,03	Solid Fuel	No	10,393	n.a.	206	460	616	259	256	370
651.23,25,33,35	Other (p)	"	77,106	91,300	8,267	10,685	11,207	10,722	11,013	12,678
	Hot Water Systems -									
652.21-91	{ Electric	"	28,787	30,023	2,448	2,592	2,359	2,479	2,454	2,499
	{ Gas	"	2,429	1,166	74	53	60	57	n.a.	120
	{ Other	"	8,313	7,870	523	539	467	495	501	438
661.21,23	Toasters	'000	166	213	17.5	20.9	21.8	13.0	10.9	11.2
	Domestic Stoves, Ovens and Ranges									
662.01,03	Solid Fuel	No	12,349	11,350	901	914	694	464	519	492
662.31-48	Gas	"	58,104	72,746	4,543	4,314	4,819	5,075	4,679	4,372

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671.03	Baths - Pressed Steel, Enamelled	No	39,042	49,513	4,107	4,225	4,377	6,507	5,190	4,903
671.33	Wash Basins - " " "	"	33,416	n.a.	5,746	6,232	5,143	5,120	5,946	4,124
671.14	Sinks - Stainless Steel	"	85,492	79,993	6,156	6,530	4,980	8,285	7,767	6,812
671.41	Pans - Closets (Pottery)	"	129,424	121,935	10,776	11,484	10,933	12,156	10,356	10,397
	Batteries (Automotive) -									
685.13,15	6 Volt	'000	149	137	12.6	13.5	12.3	10.3	13.1	11.7
685.17,19	12 Volt	"	486	547	43.4	52.9	52.3	50.1	59.7	50.5
693.02-18	Electric Domestic Clothes Washing Machines	No	19,624	16,761	1,641	1,942	1,447	2,000	2,137	2,160
699.22,23	Hot Water Jugs	"	88,971	n.a.	6,819	6,901	n.a.	9,226	8,397	7,813
699.81,85	Electric Blankets	'000	221	448	41.3	44.5	50.7	51.5	55.1	47.3
<u>770-799</u>	<u>Apparel and Footwear</u>									
772.01	Suitcoats - Men's and Youths'	"	428	385	28.8	28.5	29.0	30.2	32.6	32.6
772.11	Sportscoats - Men's and Youths'	"	170	240	17.3	26.1	21.7	21.4	24.4	21.8
772.13	Blazers - Men's and Youths'	"	19.4	18.4	1.3	1.0	1.5	2.4	1.7	1.3
	- Boys'	"	19.5	n.a.	2.2	2.3	0.9	2.1	1.5	0.6
772.15	Bermuda and Reefer Jackets - Men's and Youths'	"	36	32	2.4	2.3	2.0	1.0	0.9	0.8
772.35,37,39	Overcoats and Raincoats (q) - Men's and Youths'	"	72	61	9.9	9.3	11.4	6.3	6.5	7.6
	Trousers - Men's and Youths' -									
772.53	Sports	"	1,414	1,438	115	133	126	130	137	131
772.55,57	Work (rr)	"	881	1,159	76	96	115	89	102	121
772.73	Shorts and Knickers - Boys'	"	1,230	1,312	68	72	98	90	106	69
772.77	Overalls - Men's and Youths'	"	1,117	1,139	96	101	98	80	80	79
773.01-31	Shirts - Men's and Boys'	'000 doz.	944	955	67	74	71	72	65	65

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			1965-66	1966-67	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
	Cardigans, Pullovers, etc. -									
773.51	Men's and Youths'	'000 doz	185	209	18.3	20.3	22.0	20.5	21.2	21.5
773.51	Boys'	" "	75	65	6.2	7.9	7.4	5.9	6.7	6.4
773.71	Women's and Maids'	" "	628	594	51.9	51.3	52.2	45.8	52.3	46.2
773.71	Girls'	" "	123	114	11.4	11.9	12.3	7.0	6.1	7.7
773.81	Infants'	" "	86	82	9.7	7.9	7.6	9.0	7.4	6.2
774.01-13	Underwear - Men's, Youths' and Boys'	" "	996	1,021	85	82	79	83	86	94
774.21,23	Pyjamas - Men's, Youths' and Boys'	" "	169	143	13.5	14.2	13.7	10.6	17.5	12.3
774.51,53	Nightdresses - Women's, Maids' and Girls'	" "	261	255	23.3	23.6	24.7	25.1	24.5	24.9
774.45,47	Panties, Briefs, etc. - Women's, Maids' and Girls'	" "	1,353	1,324	105	120	112	127	139	141
774.56,58	Pyjamas - Women's, Maids' and Girls'	" "	200	179	19.2	21.6	19.6	21.2	19.0	13.2
774.60,62	Vests, Spencers - Women's, Maids' and Girls'	" "	409	338	32.2	34.5	33.8	35.5	31.2	34.8
774.65,67	Slips - Women's, Maids' and Girls'	" "	452	453	30.6	28.1	27.3	35.4	32.6	39.3
774.91-97	Underwear - Infants'	" "	77	74	6.6	7.4	6.9	11.2	9.9	9.2
	Hosiery - Women's -									
775.11-15,18,19	Full Length - Circular	'000 doz pr	3,539	3,910	328	356	331	364	371	349
775.31-39	Anklets	" " "	124	117	12.7	10.8	10.0	8.9	7.2	6.3
775.51-82	Hosiery - Men's	" " "	1,602	1,696	136	138	134	143	147	147
775.91-98; 776.01-22	Children's	" " "	735	877	76	69	71	62	61	58
776.31-42	Infants'	" " "	67	69	6.2	6.3	6.5	5.6	6.3	7.1
777.01-29	Corsets and Corselets	'000 doz	193	176	13.7	14.1	14.6	14.4	12.9	12.6
777.41,49	Brassieres	" "	261	270	24.2	24.8	23.4	22.9	22.0	21.4
781.06,07	Gloves - Work - Sewn	doz pr	66,093	66,324	5,923	5,410	5,319	5,290	5,161	5,815

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791.01-25,27 31-57 61-75, 77-97,99	Boots, Shoes and Sandals (s)									
	Men's and Youths'	'000 pr	3,605	3,835	288	275	289	300	312	296
	Women's and Maids'	" "	8,895	9,127	711	764	737	768	819	784
	Children's	" "	2,298	2,410	177	162	176	184	187	196
	Slippers -									
	Men's and Youths'	" "	1,750	1,798	110	126	137	125	130	146
	Women's and Maids'	" "	4,592	4,906	615	774	731	597	552	604
800-999	Children's (t)	" "	2,067	2,487	238	288	263	222	214	209
	Miscellaneous									
805.01-13	Soap and Soap Based Products -									
	Personal Toilet Use	cwt	103,207	94,560	7,959	8,344	8,093	9,385	11,567	10,988
805.22-60	For Other Purposes -									
	Powder and Granule	"	67,744	70,140	6,250	6,424	5,436	6,812	7,279	7,682
	Abrasive Cleansers and Scourers	"	10,481	8,347	780	902	781	860	482	771
	Other	"	143,424	108,581	8,564	10,189	10,021	11,745	9,852	11,045
806.02-44	Detergents - Synthetic and Other	cwt	621,865	686,134	55,633	42,883	56,651	32,644	37,430	36,926
832.41	Footballs - Australian Rules	No	62,896	75,133	6,264	7,540	7,472	8,231	8,147	8,236
841.01-07 841.31,37,41, 54,56,58,59 61,69	Floor Coverings - Soft Surfaced	'000 sq yds	8,303	9,117	839	759	771	809	751	760
	Smooth Surfaced	" " "	7,192	5,253	420	478	387	515	560	589
841.85	Felts (u)	" " "	2,670	4,348	339	354	355	329	353	369
844.01	Bed Bases - Box Spring	'000	33	41	3.2	3.8	3.5	4.1	4.4	4.4
844.11	Woven Wire, Link Mesh and Spring	"	133	134	10.4	11.7	11.9	12.1	11.5	10.8
844.21	Mattresses - Inner Spring	"	202	190	15.5	17.4	15.5	15.7	15.9	15.2
844.41,51,61	Other	"	81	90	6.9	7.2	6.6	7.2	7.7	7.3
975.02,11	Perambulators, Pushers and Strollers	No	57,308	66,097	5,512	5,909	5,220	6,155	5,405	6,199

## FOOTNOTES

\* Statistics of the following items are supplied by the authorities shown -

Black Coal, Brown Coal, Gold	: State Department of Mines
Sawn Native Timber	: Forests Commission of Victoria
Superphosphate	: Commonwealth Department of Primary Industry
Tobacco, Cigars and Cigarettes	: Commonwealth Department of Customs and Excise

Details of other items are collected by the Deputy Commonwealth Statistician.

- (a) Cured bone-in weight of smoked, cooked, and canned bacon and ham.
- (b) Excludes baby food.
- (c) Figures prior to July 1967 include the production of atta flour.
- (d) Includes pork and beans.
- (e) Includes pickled vegetables, excludes tomatoes.
- (f) Monthly series unavailable prior to July 1967.
- (g) Including mixtures predominantly of wool.
- (h) Including mixtures predominantly of the fibres specified.
- (i) Including mixtures predominantly of wool.
- (j) In terms of 22%  $P_4O_{10}$  content; includes ammonium phosphate.
- (k) Newly-won gold of Victorian origin.
- (l) "Generated" includes electricity generated by factories for their own use. Under "Net Imports", a minus sign (-) denotes excess of exports.
- (m) Excludes automotive.
- (n) Excludes vehicles finished by specialist body building works outside motor vehicle manufacturers' own organisations.
- (o) Includes convection type.
- (p) Includes gas and oil-burning space heaters, not portable.
- (q) Wool (or containing wool) tweed and gabardine, and cotton gabardine only.
- (rr) Includes jeans.
- (s) Excludes rubber footwear.
- (t) Includes soft soled nursery shoes.
- (u) Needled (or bonded) felts of jute or jute/hair mixtures (for all purposes). New series from July 1966.

## Symbols Used

r - Revised; n.a. - Not Available; .. - Nil, or less than half the unit in which published







